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Governor Musgrove Announces \$139,500 Grant for Powers Volunteer Fire Department

(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove announced today that the Powers Volunteer Fire Department will receive a \$139,500 grant through the Department of Homeland Security. The grant will be utilized to acquire firefighting vehicles.

“The funds will assist the Jones County firefighters in their efforts to safeguard the people and property in the communities in which they serve,” said Musgrove. “We will continue to work closely with the Department of Homeland Security to obtain funding for our first responders to ensure they have the proper equipment needed to carry out their duties.”

The funds for the firefighting vehicles acquisition program will allow the fire departments to purchase the following vehicles: pumpers, brush trucks, tankers, rescue, ambulances, quints, aerials, foam units, and fire boats.

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